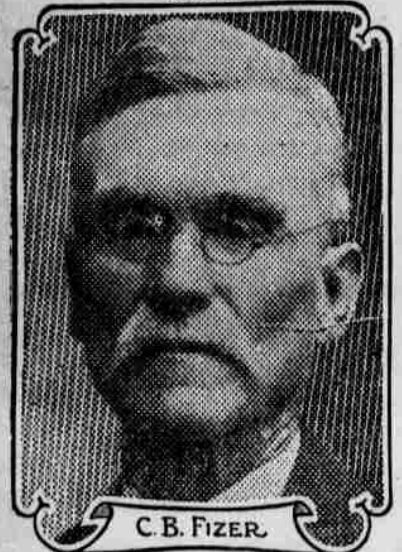


No Trick at All.  
Canby Dunn—Do you take any stock in the story that a man engraved the entire alphabet on the head of a pin?  
Y. Knott—Certainly. He could have engraved the ten commandments on it. It was a coupling pin. Ring off.—Chicago Tribune.

The Only Good.  
"Father, why do these automobiles puff out so much smoke behind?"  
"Stupid! So the policeman can't see the number!"—Meggendorfer Blatter.

## KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Two Years—Relieved In Three Months.



MR. C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., writes:  
"I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past. Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain.  
"I believe that I am well and I therefore give my highest commendation to the curative qualities of Peruna."

### Peruna for Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Geo. H. Simser, Grant, Ontario, Can., writes:  
"I had not been well for about four years. I had kidney trouble, and, in fact, felt badly nearly all the time.  
"This summer I got so very bad I thought I would try Peruna, so I wrote to you and began at once to take Peruna and Manalin.  
"I took only two bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin, and now I feel better than I have for some time.  
"I feel that Peruna and Manalin cured me and made a different woman of me altogether. I bless the day I picked up the little book and read of your Peruna.  
"It is the business of the kidneys to remove from the blood all poisonous materials. They must be active all the time, else the system suffers. There are times when they need a little assistance. Peruna is exactly this sort of a remedy. It has saved many people from disaster by rendering the kidneys service at a time when they were not able to bear their own burdens."



We would teach the lady who buys.  
Lesson number one.  
Starch is an extraction of wheat used to stiffen clothes when laundered. Most starches in time will rot the goods they are used to stiffen.  
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## REED SMOOT TO BE OUSTED

Majority of Committee on Privileges and Elections Against Him.

Their Report Declares the Mormon Apostles Not Entitled to Hold a Seat in the Senate.

Washington, June 12.—The reasons for the action of the senate committee on privileges and elections in declaring, by a majority vote, that Senator Reed Smoot is not entitled to a seat in the senate as senator from Utah are stated in a report submitted to the senate Monday by Chairman Burrows and signed by Senators Burrows, Dooliver, Du Bois, Pettus, Bailey, Overman and Frazier, to be as follows:

"That Mr. Smoot is one of a self-perpetuating body of men, known as the first presidency and 12 apostles of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, commonly known as the Mormon church; that these men claim divine authority to control the members of said church in all things, temporal as well as spiritual; that this authority is, and has been for seven years past so exercised by the said first presidency and 12 apostles as to encourage the practice of polygamy and polygamous cohabitation in the state of Utah and elsewhere contrary to the constitution and laws of the state of Utah and the law of the land; that the said first presidency and 12 apostles do now control, and for a long time past controlled the political affairs of the state of Utah, and have thus brought about in said state a union of church and state contrary to the constitution of said state of Utah and contrary to the constitution of the United States and the said Reed Smoot comes here not as the accredited representative of the state of Utah in the senate of the United States, but as the chief hierarchy which controls the church and has usurped the functions of the state in said state of Utah."

The report names a dozen apostles, former apostles and other prominent Mormons who according to testimony have taken plural wives since the manifesto of 1890, an act impossible "except by consent of the president of the church," says incontrovertible testimony shows that a majority of those who give the law to the Mormon church "are now and have been for years living in open, notorious and shameless cohabitation," the list being headed by President Smith.

### MR. PIERCE DODGES AGAIN.

Slippery Standard Oil Magnate Not in St. Louis to Testify in Oil Hearing.

St. Louis June 12.—The hearing of evidence in the Missouri ouster proceedings against the Standard and Waters-Pierce Oil companies, was resumed Monday at the Southern hotel before Special Commissioner R. A. Anthony. Attorney General Hadley and his two assistants, John Kennish and Rush C. Lake, arrived Sunday night to participate in the case, and will also represent the state in the first test case under the railroad maximum freight rate law, which proceedings were begun Monday before Special Commissioner Scofield. Eighteen railroads have been cited to appear, and the state will select one of which to make a test case.

H. Clay Pierce, chairman of the board of directors of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, was expected to be the chief witness at the oil hearing. He is now in New York, and when this fact was elicited from Judge John D. Johnson, general counsel for the Waters-Pierce company, who asked a continuance of the hearing on the ground that Judge H. S. Priest, leading counsel, was detained at home by illness. Attorney-General Hadley sharply declared he would not consent to a continuance, and threatened to have an attachment issued for the appearance of Mr. Pierce.

The oil hearing adjourned until next Friday morning at 10 o'clock, with an admonition from the court that Mr. Pierce be notified to be here at that time for examination.

### Work of Train Wreckers.

Kansas City, Mo., June 12.—East bound Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 2 running between Denver and Kansas City, was derailed near Martin City, Mo., 20 miles from Kansas City, Monday evidently the work of train wreckers. The engine and a baggage car turned over, and the front trucks of the first coach left the tracks. John Dunovan, Kansas City, the engineer, was killed; H. Forstund, Kansas City, the fireman, was seriously injured. The officials in this city say that none of the passengers was injured.

### Fourteen Cars in the Ditch.

Emporia, Kan., June 12.—An unidentified man was killed and three seriously injured in a wreck Monday on the Missouri Pacific, east of Comisky. The wreck was caused by spreading rails. Fourteen cars are in the ditch. The dead man and three injured men were all bound for the west with household goods, and each was riding in the car with his goods. The injured men were taken to Council Grove.

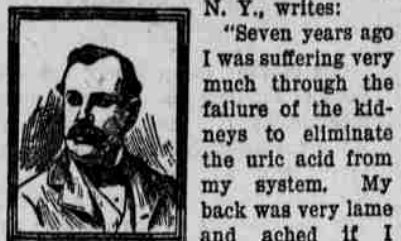
### Yellow Fever Again Appears.

New Orleans, La., June 12.—The fact that three cases of yellow fever have been under quarantine for the past ten days at Ship Island, a government quarantine station between the mouth of the Mississippi river and Mobile, Ala., was made public Monday by Dr. C. H. Irion, president of the Louisiana state board of health.

## SEVEN YEARS AGO

A Rochester Chemist Found a Singularly Effective Medicine.

William A. Franklin, of the Franklin & Palmer Chemical Co., Rochester, N. Y., writes:



"Seven years ago I was suffering very much through the failure of the kidneys to eliminate the uric acid from my system. My back was very lame and ached if I overexerted myself in the least degree. At times I was weighed down with a feeling of languor and depression and suffered continually from annoying irregularities of the kidney secretions. I procured a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and began using them. I found prompt relief from the aching and lameness in my back, and by the time I had taken three boxes I was cured of all irregularities."

Sold by all dealers; 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

### THE CADDY'S COMMENT.

One That Was Not Very Complimentary to a Professional Player.

Walter J. Travis, the golfer, set up his ball, and then made half a dozen swishes at the short grass with the driver, relates the New York Tribune.

"I am not in good form," he said, "I am playing like a broker we had here last week."

"This broker played once around, making a dreadful exhibition of himself. Of this, though, he was not aware. He was doing pretty well for him."

"The man's caddy was an unusually quiet, stolid lad, a boy with a freckled face quite devoid of expression. "And since the caddy never once laughed or sneered at his bad play, the broker took a fancy to him. And he said at the end of the round, in the hope of getting a compliment: "I have been traveling for the last six months. I am quite out of practice. That is why I am in such bad form to-day."

"The caddy replied, calmly: "Then you've played before, have ye, sir?"

### Insist on Getting It.

Some grocers say they don't keep Defiance Starch. This is because they have a stock on hand of other brands containing only 12 oz. in a package, which they won't be able to sell first, because Defiance contains 16 oz. for the same money.

### Behind the Times.

"Janie is so mortified at her husband's illness that she won't tell anyone what is the matter with him."  
"What disease has he?"  
"Old-fashioned consumption."—N. Y. Times.

### More Flexible and Lasting.

won't shake out or blow out; by using Defiance Starch you obtain better results than possible with any other brand and one-third more for same money.

### Not the Only Hot Place.

"The most serious objection I have to dying," said the Bostonian, "is that I shall have to leave Boston."  
"Aw, don't worry about that," said the Chicagoan; "Boston ain't the only hot place."—The Bohemian.

In the course of the conversation on psychological matters the talk rested on that ancient theme, the solitude of the soul. Some one asked the girl who was to graduate in June if she liked being alone. "That depends," she answered, sweetly, "on whom I am alone with."—Chicago Daily News.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.  
We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all his business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### Voracity.

Angler—Do the fish bite around here?  
Native—Bite? Say, stranger, we have to muzzle 'em so they won't chew up the innocent bystander."—N. Y. Sun.

Lost:—Only an opportunity to quote you rates across the water or from there over to America for your relatives. Santa Fe Agent, Wichita, Kansas, is also agent for all Steamship Lines.

Stranger (to the beggar's son)—"How long has your father been blind?" Boy—"Every day from eight in the morning until six at night."

The Best Results in Starching can be obtained only by using Defiance Starch, besides getting 4 oz. more for same money—no cooking required.

Silence is indeed golden when it commands a high price.

Do your clothes look yellow? If so, use Red Cross Ball Blue. It will make them white as snow. 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

Some people are so cautious that they even look before they creep.

## COMMERCIAL CULLINGS.

The quantity of frozen meat exported from Argentina last year was 3,325,124 carcasses of sheep and lambs, and 1,922,757 quarters of beef.

The mineral production of France consists of lead, zinc, copper, coal and lignite, iron, antimony, arsenic and salt. An immense quantity of building stone and slate is quarried. The cement and phosphate production is large, aggregating sums far up in the millions of dollars. Coal is the chief mineral product.

In the year 1890 Germany sent about \$10,710,000 in silks to the United States and Japan sent \$1,190,000 worth. In 1904-5 Germany sent about \$4,998,000 of silk goods to the United States, while Japan sent \$5,593,000 worth. Japanese exports of silk goods have tripled within ten years, increasing from \$7,470,000 in 1895 to \$22,410,000 in 1904-5, and the ascending movement continues.

### One on the Doctor.

Lawyer—I say, doctor, why are you always running us lawyers down?  
Doctor (dryly)—Well, your profession doesn't make angels of men, does it?

"Why, no; you certainly have the advantage of us there, doctor."—Illustrated Bits.

Lewis' Single Binder Cigar has a rich taste. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

### With Some People.

A joke is not a joke when you have to listen to it instead of telling it.—N. Y. Press.

The girl who waits for a man to come along and make love to her after the manner of a novel hero will remain single to the end of the chapter.

Clear white clothes are a sign that the housekeeper uses Red Cross Ball Blue. Large 2 oz. package, 5 cents.

"She is going to marry him to reform him." "Why don't she reform him first?" "Oh! he'd have too much sense to get married then."

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"That's a fine rope you have, Harker," commented the commuter with the town mower and the weekly ham under his arm. "What are you going to do with it?"

"Use it as a tether," replied Harker.

"Ah! New cow?"

"No, new cook."—Chicago Daily News.

Smokers have to call for Lewis' Single Binder cigar to get it. Your dealer or Lewis' Factory, Peoria, Ill.

"Say, I came to this dance without an invitation." "So did I. How did you work it?" "Nobody stopped me. How did you?" "Same way. My wife's giving the dance."

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